NOTICE OF CLOSURE

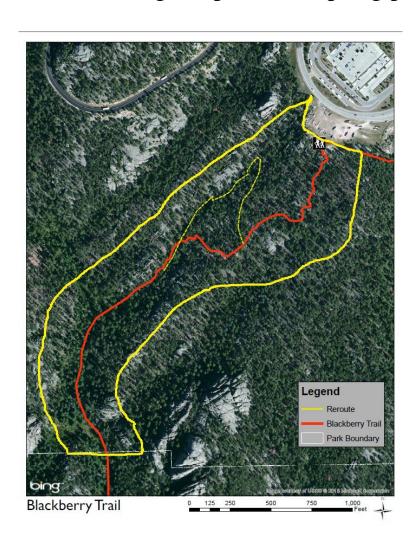
Consistent with applicable legislation and Federal administrative policies, in accordance with provisions of Title 36, Code of Federal Regulations, Section 1.5 and based upon the determination that such action is necessary for the maintenance of public health and safety, the Superintendent may establish a closure or public use limit.

The Superintendent of Mount Rushmore National Memorial has established a closure to be in effect from Monday, May 1, 2017, 08:00 a.m. to Monday, May 15, 2017, 09:00 a.m..

The area including all of the Blackberry Trail, within the legislative boundaries of Mount Rushmore, and a buffer zone extending 400 feet perpendicular to the trail on either side shall be closed to public access.

See map below for detailed view of closed area outlined in yellow.

Closure is for safety and resource management purposes by allowing the new trail to stabilize during the period of spring precipitation.



Violating a closure, designation, use or activity restriction or condition, schedule of visiting hours, or public use limits is prohibited. 36 CFR, Sec 1.5(f), punishable by up to 6 months in jail and/or up to a \$5,000 fine.

APPROVED:	Dan Kann	DATE:	5/1/17
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